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### Mexico

## **FAIRS Product Specific**

## **Additional Ports of Entry for Fresh Potatoes**

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#### **Report Highlights:**

On July 22, 2002, the Secretariat of Treasury announced in the *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register) additional ports of entry for U.S. imported fresh potatoes.

**Introduction:** This report summarizes a final regulation to import potato products published in Mexico's "*Diario Oficial*" (Federal Register) on July 22, 2002.

**Disclaimer:** This summary is based on a *cursory* review of the subject announcement and therefore should not, under any circumstances, be viewed as a definitive reading of the regulation in question, or of its implications for U.S. agricultural export trade interests. In the event of a discrepancy or discrepancies between this summary and the complete regulation or announcement as published in Spanish, the latter shall prevail.

**FAS/Mexico's Executive Summary:** The Secretariat of Treasury published on July 22, 2002 in the *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register), additional custom ports of entry to import fresh potatoes (0701.90.99). Annex 21 of the resolution is adding the following border crossings: Altamira, Cancun, Progreso, and Veracruz. According to a previous announcement (MX 2084) on May 17, 2002, the other custom ports of entry for this product are: Nogales, Nuevo Laredo, Tijuana and Ciudad Juarez (only by the International Bridge of "Zaragoza Isleta").

**Title:** First Resolution of Modifications to the General Rules of Foreign Trade for 2002 - annexes 2, 4, 13, 21, 22 and 23.

**Type of Regulation:** Final

#### **Important Dates**

Publication Date: July 22, 2002
 Effective Date: July 23, 2002

**Products Affected:** Fresh Potatoes

**Agency in Charge:** Secretariat of Treasury

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